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National Hispanic American Heritage Month has been celebrated for 48 years as a way to recognize the many accomplishments made by the Hispanic community in the United States. America. Hispanic Heritage Week was first proclaimed by President Lyndon B. Johnson 1968, but was established by legislation that was sponsored by Los Angeles' Congressman Edward R. Roybal. In 1988, President Regan expanded it to Hispanic Heritage Month and it has since been proclaimed. From September 15 to October 15, we honor the histories, cultures and contributions of American citizens whose ancestors came from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean and Central and South America.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE to proclaim September 15 through October 15 "National Hispanic American Heritage Month" in Los Angeles County.

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